

Wichita Daily Eagle

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THE SUMMER EVENINGS.

One of the Ways in Which the Friends at Home Manage to Wile Away the Hours of the Evening.

Those that stay at home during the summer are not nearly so badly off as might be supposed. When the winter season opens they have not so much to talk about, however, but it is questionable if they have not more good wholesome food for reflection.



SCENE ABOVE OAK STREET BRIDGE.

catch a few weeks' rest before the winter season of gaiety comes out. What can equal the comforts of home, the cool mother-hubbard and surrounded by those one loves best?

Fifty different pleasure parties were counted during the evening all finding enjoyment according to their own peculiar methods.

The delegates to the county convention from the several wards are requested to meet in the city council chamber this (Saturday) morning.

PERSONALS.

Mr. R. Baker of Chicago, is at the Metropole today. Robert Martin, secretary of Oklahoma, is in the city.



A STEAM LAUNCH PARTY.

ment and novelty that is invigorating and adds a charm to this diversion unknown to all other sports. This is a safe game because caution is always uppermost in the mind.

The third stage is the confidence that comes from experience and knowledge. The same caution that belonged to the stage of timidity returns, and only in this stage is the real pleasure of aquatic sports known.

Tomorrow afternoon will be observed as Midsummer Rally day. All interested in making it a great success please call at the rooms today and obtain supplies of a very neatly printed invitation.

AN ATHLETIC BICYCLIST.

Mr. G. Minturn Worden, representing the Loxier & Yost bicycle manufacturing company of Toledo, Ohio, spent yesterday in the city, under the guidance of A. J. Os.

Mr. Worden has a record of 480 miles in four days, carrying forty pound of baggage. His present trip is not for record but is more of a business order and he proceeds to make all the points where his company has agents.

It is his present intention to try to break the record between New York and San Francisco in October next. The bicycle men say the time at present is very slow and will be beaten by the first good athlete that tackles the trip.

BURGALARS AGAIN.

A Bold Attempt at Burglary Frustrated by the Vigilance of the Police.

Last night, shortly before 12 o'clock, a pistol shot was fired in the vicinity of Water and First streets, which seems to have been the sequel to a bold attempt at burglary.

CHILDREN'S HOME.

Gratitude of our board to those who responded so promptly and generously to our appeal for clothing; also, to the following for bricks for the new home: The Dodge Avenue M. E. Sunday school, West Side, through its superintendent, Mr. James Allison, has a school. Please let this be a reminder to the other Sunday school superintendents in the city, and let there not be a tender hearted owner of College Hill property who will consider it a high privilege to donate ground for the superstructure that will be an honor to the donors and the city.

DIED.

William H. Reeves, of this city, died at his residence at 1214 South Water street, yesterday morning, of consumption. The funeral services will be held at his late residence Sunday, August 10, at 9 a. m., to which all friends are invited.

SELLING MAIN STREET BONDS.

Messrs. Johnson, Martin and Carson, the special committee appointed to sell the Main street and Douglas avenue bonds, will open sealed bids this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the council chamber.

HUMANE WORK.

Agent Aspey of the Humane society took charge of a team of mules that had been standing on the streets the greater part of the day without feed or water.

THE GREAT HOG MARKET.

The Wichita hog market is the best in the world for western shippers. Freight rates considered, Wichita offers the shipper a market 10 cents better than Kansas City. The quality of the arrivals here has much improved lately and comparatively few pigs or piglets were included in yesterday's offerings.

FAIR MEETING.

The executive committee of the Fair association met yesterday afternoon. Mr. W. J. Wilson was elected unanimously on the motion of Mr. Cook as a charter member of the association.

A GREAT GRAIN MAN.

The General Manager of the Texas Elevator System in Wichita.

Thomas F. McEnnis, vice-president and general manager of the Texas Elevator company, which company owns a number of grain elevators throughout Texas, the one at Dallas being of one million one hundred and eighty thousand bushels capacity, was in the city yesterday, and in company with E. B. Ebert called on the EAGLE.

President of the Council Johnson had some valuable experience yesterday as acting mayor of the city. His first case was a longhairs individual with an overcoat and far cap, and not much other clothes, who wanted a permit to sell notions on the street.

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First account of settlement of guardian of Zimmetry minors filed. No marriage licenses were issued and the routine work occupied Judge Buckner.

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No important issues were filed in this court yesterday.

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POLICE COURT.

Almost nothing relieved the monotony of the police court yesterday. One all night was given notice to leave town which he gladly accepted in preference to the rock pile this warm weather. A number of females who have no place in the statute, contributed a share of their ill-gotten gains toward filling the city coffers. A few petty offenders from the preceding day were disposed of by Judge Mussler in the usual way.

THE CHURCHES.

Central Christian church, corner Market and Second—Preaching tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by Rev. L. T. Van Cleave. Evening theme: "The Body of Christ." Morning meeting on Thursday evening is "My Ideal Pastor." We give you a kindly invitation to all these services.

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A PROSPECTIVE WEDDING.

A well authenticated rumor is afloat that Miss Vesta Hobbs will really be married in about a week or ten days at Des Moines, Ia. The happy man is Mr. J. D. Long, a young gentleman of good business qualifications, having secured a fair share of this world's wealth and who wishes to his possession an estimable young lady as his wife.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Oliver, 153 North Topeka, died yesterday, aged 16 months. The funeral will take place from the residence at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. The entire community extends its sympathy to the bereaved parents.

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123 to 127 N. Main Street. Imported Cotton Challies, handsome designs, 12 1/2c. 12 1/2 cent Challies 10 cents. 10 cent Challies 7 cents. 12 1/2 cent, 14 cent and 15 cent Gingham 10 cents. Summer goods going below cost this week.

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PRICES OF BIRDS.

Cuban Amazon parrots, sometimes called red bearded Amazons, are worth \$5 each. Lizard casaries are of two kinds, gold and silver spotted, and sell at \$15 a pair. Tortoise, which are twice the size of crabs and good whistlers, are worth \$7 to \$15 each. Maracabo parrots bring \$8. They are light green, self breasted, have yellow heads and yellow specks about the eyes. The nightingale is the size of a sparrow, but is more silent and is of a mouse color with brown wings. They vary in price from \$15 to \$25. The European goldfinch and skinks can be bred with ease, and are more valuable than the latter. Goldfinches bring \$2 and skinks \$1.50. Blackcaps are related to the nightingale family and are finer songsters than thrushes. Four dollars is the price usually asked for them. Blue fronted Amazon parrots resemble the Maracabo, though they are larger and have a large blue spot with yellow on the top of their head. They are worth \$9. The plainest talkers are the yellow headed Amazon parrots from Brazil. They are brought from a small place back of Caracas called Surinam, and sell at from \$10 to \$15 each. Hulfinsches are found all over Europe except in Spain and Italy. They are fine singers and can be taught several tunes. Those that can whistle well bring from \$40 to \$70 each. The Mexican chorizo is blue around the body, has a very short bill, and can imitate the notes of a bang. They are of the size of a catbird. They are worth from \$15 to \$20 each. The hoary singing canaries which come from the Harta mountains bring \$2.50 to \$3 each. The better strains come from St. Andreasburg, near Hanover, and sell for \$10 to \$15 apiece. The European thrush is in good demand. Immigrants purchase a good many of them, though they are also great favorites with Americans. They sell for \$5 each. Hot weather affects them. Skylarks are great field birds. They rest on the ground in wheat or grass and sing while rising to the sky. They have about a dozen notes and are beautiful singers. Birds in full song are worth \$2.50 and fine specimens are worth \$5. Foremost among American birds is the mockingbird. A bird one year old brings \$2 each, two years old \$10, though they run all the way up to \$20 and \$30 each. These birds can imitate any note, including the bark of a dog, a cat's cry and the cackling of chickens. One of the finest specimens of the canary bird is known as the long breed, imported from Belgium. These birds are not kept for their song, but merely for their handsome appearance. When young they call for prices varying from \$15 to \$50 per pair, according to quality. The greatest seed eating bird is the English linnet. He is not so intelligent as some other birds, but is a popular bird. They are as popular as the canary bird, and a great many people like them better. They are coffee colored over the body, with a full red breast. The price is \$2.50 each.—New York World.



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ATCHISON PHILOLOGY.

Greatness is the ability to receive elevancy. Caution is often wasted, but it is a very good risk to take. The true secret of life is to simplify your duties and your wants. If you would be well represented in the world, represent yourself. A general hatred of thieves in a community is the least security possible. Your friend soon stops thinking of how you look, and begins to think how you act. A man's pleasure are those that he takes, a woman's are those that are given to her. The best of them do not do right because it is right as often as they do because it is expedient. People become more interesting as they grow older, but they don't seem to become any happier. Did you ever stop to count the compliments of the man who afterward asked a favor of you. Between the funny feeling, he has on the inside, and the feeling that people are watching him on the outside, a wicked man has a hard time of it. The longer the time that elapses after danger, the greater the feeling of security, and the greater the danger that the same disaster will happen again. Somehow the man who start out with the intention of doing their worst, never make more of their undertaking as those who start out to do their best. It is necessary to think of a man once to call a man whom he has called you once; so hard to think of providing you a company to him when he has paid you a compliment.—Atchison Globe.

ARMY AND NAVY NOTES.

The American government has purchased 600 acres of land in Charles county, Md., where an ordnance proving station will be established. The proving grounds at Annapolis will be done away with. The French warship Magnets, lately launched at Toulon, is of 10,000 tons and has a belt of armor varying in thickness from four to six inches. Her principal battery is composed of four fifty-ton guns. One of the new gunboats built in service for the English government for use on the Zambesi was tested recently to ascertain the time needed to put it together. The vessel was under steam in six hours and thirty five minutes from the time the work was begun. A war rattle of much interest is the turret of the monitor Sanguin. In it are thirty-nine shells made by round shot at Fort Fisher. The vessel has been condemned and will be sold for old iron, but an effort is being made to purchase the turret for the navy to preserve the turret. The American war department has worked at signaling by sunbeams until now it may claim the longest line in the world ever within the hemisphere is worked. This extends a thousand miles, from Fort Stanton in New Mexico to Whipple Lake in Arizona, through lines leading to other stations. It is expected by the ordnance board that there will have been completed by Jan. 1, 1892, the following arms for harbor defense: 100 Irons One Dollar.

Creates An Appetite

There is nothing for which we recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla more than for the cure of appetite, indigestion, sick headache and other troubles of digestive nature. In the most delicate way this medicine purifies the system, cures the blood, and makes the food "real hunger." Ladies in delicate health, or very delicate and nervous at heart, after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a few days, find themselves hungry for food and eating the plainest food with increased relish and satisfaction. Try it!

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